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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Antonio Mecozzi, et al.

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For: **METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR  
POLARIZATION MODE  
DISPERSION COMPENSATION**

Examiner: Li, Shi K

Art Unit: 2633

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 26, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A petition for a one-month extension of time to extend the time to respond until February 28, 2005 is being filed concurrently herewith.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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